What Authentic Assessment is:

A form of assessment in which students are asked to perform **real-world tasks** that demonstrate *meaningful application* of essential knowledge and skills -- Jon Mueller

Types of Authentic Assessment

* **Structured**- teacher planned, specific, may include correct or incorrect answers.

**Examples:** Checklists, Sorts, Structured interviews, Anecdotal Records, Inventories, Surveys, Graphic Organizers

* **Unstructured**- Creative, observable learning

**Examples**: Writing Samples, Logs or Journals, Games, Group work, Problem Solving

Where to use it

* Science, Social Studies, Math, Reading, Writing, Behavior, Art, P.E.

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| Lesson Plan | Teacher Notes: |
| * Title * Topic/Concept * Standards * Goals/Objectives * Materials * Anticipatory Set * Procedures * Closure | * Adaptations * Extensions * Connections to other subjects |

Assessing Learning

* Use rubrics and checklists as a guide when evaluating student’s performance
* Ask yourself:
  + What is outstanding? (4) What is good? (3) What is acceptable? (2) What is unacceptable? (1)
  + Use this information to create your own scoring